IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

January 8, 1903.—Referred to the Committee on Rules and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Hepburn submitted the following

RESOLUTION:

Resolved, That immediately after the approval of the Journal on Tuesday, the thirteenth instant, the bill (S. 569) to establish a Department of Commerce shall be the special and continuing order of business until the same shall be finally disposed of, not, however, to interfere with appropriation bills, conference reports, or other special orders heretofore made, or matters of privilege under the rules.